

send it to my dear loved one F. W. G.
I have not got the song halloed at
house now but will get it and
send some to you.
I hope this short letter will reach you
before you have wedded to some one
you have fallen in love with since
I last saw you and will bring
back the memory of the affectionate people
to you that you may always think of
them in your lonely hours and drop
them a few lines to let them know
how you are enjoying your stay in
the Star State.
I wish I could come to Texas and stay
a few weeks to my S. H. and to visit
the Relations I have near Tyler and other
points near where you are living.
I have been going to a protracted
meeting here it has now closed I had
a very nice time watching others shout
and pray in earnest, over

Well I hope your dream of getting
married will not come to pass, don't you,
Sweet Heart, I am sure you will have a
nice time when it comes for you will
enjoy all the restant in a little while
if you are like you was about a year ago
at the mill, when I came near freezing;
S. H. I hope these few lines will find
you in good health and enjoying yourself
as it leaves me in a bad condition
of health at best,
Trusting my Sweet Heart will always
remember me as one who loves the one
who gets this letter & as weel yet
still better than tongue can tell,
Remember Well and hear in mind
That I love you and a truer lover
you can never find, you must this
writing for I have been sick and cannot
well yet, S. H. I wish you good luck and
pleasant Dreams, Good by lover,
Yours affectionately W. F. Ausley